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April 18, 2003

Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Applicant(s): Donohoe, Brendan M. et al.
 Assignee: Cardica, Inc.
 Title: Method and Apparatus for Creating an Opening in the Wall of a Tubular Vessel
 Serial No.: 10/054,745
 Examiner: Not yet assigned Filed: 1/22/02
 Docket No.: 057 Group Art Unit: 3731

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
- (3) PTO form 1449 and reference cited therein; and
- (4) Return postcard.



No additional fee is required.



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Respectfully submitted,



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In compliance with the Applicant's duty under 37 CFR § 1.56, the information listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449 is brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This IDS is believed to be timely in that it is being submitted under 37 CFR § 1.97(b), and thus no petition or fee is required.

Respectfully submitted,


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